

**Subject:** Fwd: are you interested, available for a meeting this week?

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Maybe we should discuss this... Thoughts?

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Hi,

As I think I mentioned to each of you a few months ago, we're considering the possibility of an art effort in the Melrose area, which may be proposed to the city's Cultural Affairs department. This effort, if it goes forward, would be proposed by Conrad Romo, a Melrose area resident who has helped put on various literary/arts/community efforts in the past, in other areas such as North Hollywood. (The NoHo Lit Crawl, has involved many individual participants plus a few participating locations and a significant audience.) We think an effort in the Melrose area, akin to what Conrad has been involved with elsewhere (though perhaps initially on a much smaller scale), might be very fun, useful and community-friendly, so we'd like to see Conrad develop a proposal, which could then be judged on its formal merits. You can find Conrad's website at <http://conradromo.com/>.

I think you might be able to provide very helpful input, plus maybe there could be some positive partnering on this, if it goes forward. We'd like to meet somewhere in City Hall or in the Melrose area this week, if possible, to discuss this potential project. Last we talked with Conrad, he was going to be available pretty much any time this week. Obviously, we'd want him to be at any such meeting; also, probably someone from Cultural Affairs. From the 5th District office, there would be some combination of myself, Jeff Ebenstein and/or John Darnell. You could tell me if you think you should and could be there (and if so, what your best days/times might be), and/or anyone else you'd recommend inviting.

Thanks for any attention granted, and your response.

Regards,

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